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OH!
VERY GOOD!
WHAT YOU ARE SAYING IS NOT WRONG!

CAROL, YOU WILL ALWAYS BE MINE...
THIS TOWER WILL BE YOUR HOME FOREVER!
SHE REALLY IS A NILE GODDESS!
AN INVALUABLE PRECIOUS OBJECT IN THE WORLD!
I HAVE IN MY HANDS A FORTUNE-TELLER!
EH!
ASISU ALMOST KILLED THE NILE GIRL, I HEARD!
HMM! YOU DARE TO SLAP ME?
YOU IGNOBLE KING!
SLAP!

HURRY UP AND BE KIND TO ME!
CAROL, ARE YOU ALRIGHT?
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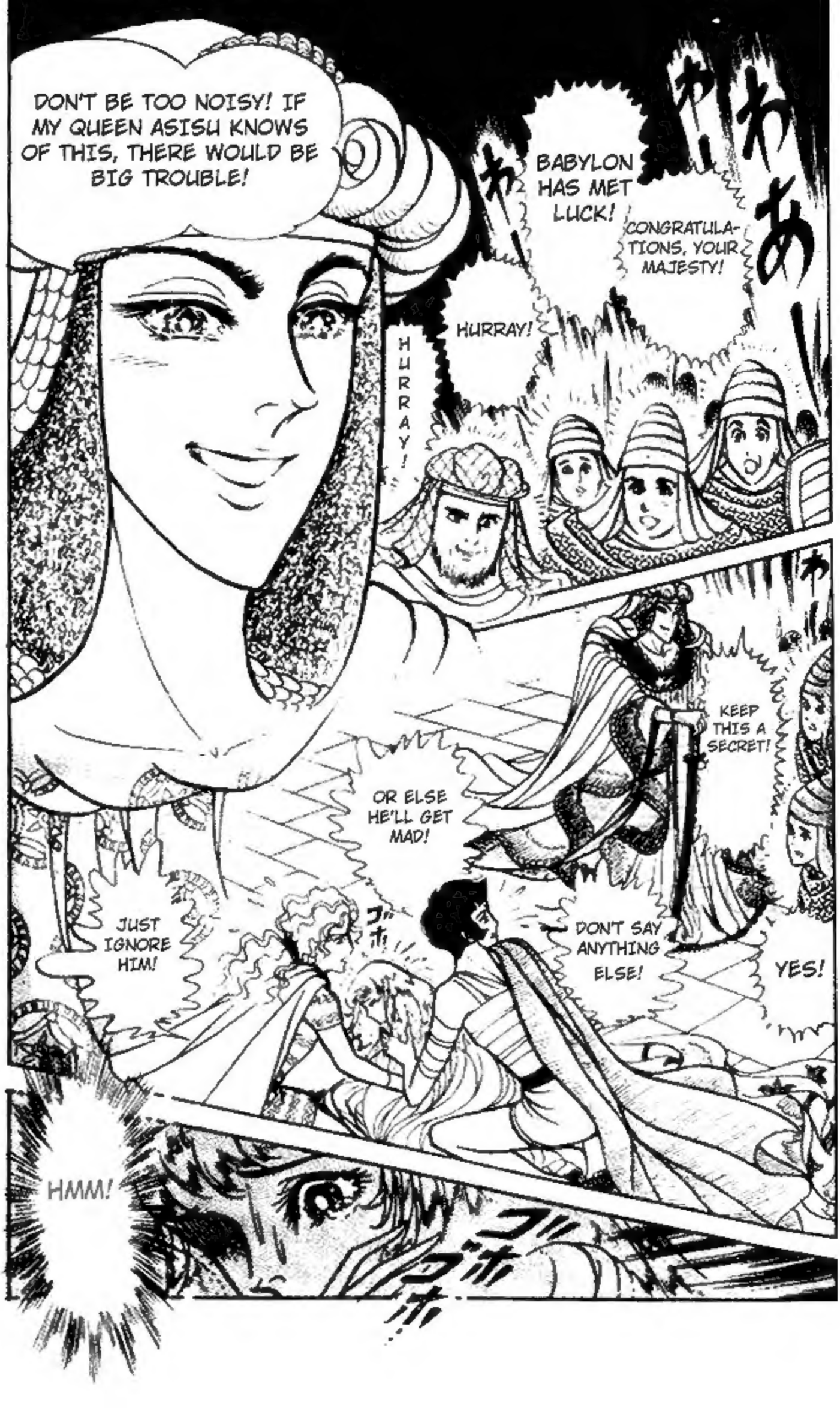
YOU WILL WORK FOR ME TO HELP TRANSFORM BABYLON TO BECOME A SUPERPOWER!
...BUT I FORGIVE YOU
YOU WILL HELP ME DOMINATE THE UNIVERSE!
SHE REALLY IS A DIVINE BEING!
THAT'S RIGHT! SHE IS A MEMBER OF THE FORTUNE-TELLERS!
WE HAVE MET LUCK!
I WILL NOT HELP YOU!
RAGASHU, YOU ARE CRAZY WHEN YOU SAY THAT YOU WANT TO DOMINATE THE UNIVERSE!


DON'T BE TOO NOISY! IF MY QUEEN ASISU KNOWS OF THIS, THERE WOULD BE BIG TROUBLE!
BABYLON HAS MET LUCK!
CONGRATULATIONS, YOUR MAJESTY!
HURRAY!
HURRAY!
KEEP THIS A SECRET!
OR ELSE HE'LL GET MAD!
JUST IGNORE HIM!
DON'T SAY ANYTHING ELSE!
YES!
HMM!

OMRI, WE HAVE IN OUR HANDS A GODDESS!
THAT'S RIGHT!
MENFUISU IS FAR DIFFERENT FROM THAT MAN!
HE KNEW THAT I KNOW THE FUTURE, BUT HE NEVER TOOK ADVANTAGE OF ME TO DO BAD THINGS!
TO CONQUER THE NEIGH-BORING NATIONS AND EXPAND OUR TERRITORY!
WE WILL MAKE USE OF HER POWERS...

PRINCE IZUMIRU OF HITTITE REALLY LIKES THIS GIRL...
KING ANGON OF ASSYRIA IS ALSO SUFFERING AND IS HUNTING THIS GIRL DOWN...
WITH A VERY EASY PLAN, YOUR MAJESTY!
...BUT ONLY THIS RAGASHU HAS THE RIGHT TO CAROL!
YES! THEY WILL BE ENVIOUS OF YOUR
IF THEY KNOW THIS TRUTH, IZUMIRU AND ANGON WILL GO CRAZY!
HA HA HA HA

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CHOOSE MORE OFFICERS TO LINE-UP...MAKE ALL MALES JOIN THE ARMY. . . !
WE WILL SOON CARRY-OUT THE GREAT MILITARY CAMPAIGN THAT WILL NEED A LOT OF MANPOWER AND CAPABILITY!
YES! WE WILL FIGHT BY YOUR SIDE!
HURRAY!
HOW WILL I REPORT THIS BAD NEWS TO MENFUISU?
RAGASHU HAS BEGUN THE WAR...

I DON'T KNOW WHICH COUNTRY THIS RAGASHU WILL ATTACK...BUT CLEARLY HIS AMBITION IS NOT GOOD...
HE WILL THREATEN THE SECU-RITY OF THIS AREA!

THEY ARE REBELL-ING!
BUT FIRST, WE HAVE TO INVESTIGATE THE ZAGUROT PEOPLE TO THE WEST!

HOW DESPICABLE! THAT RAGASHU USED US TO PRESURE QUEEN CAROL!
THAT'S RIGHT! IT'S BECAUSE THE QUEEN LOVES US THAT SHE AGREED TO HIM!

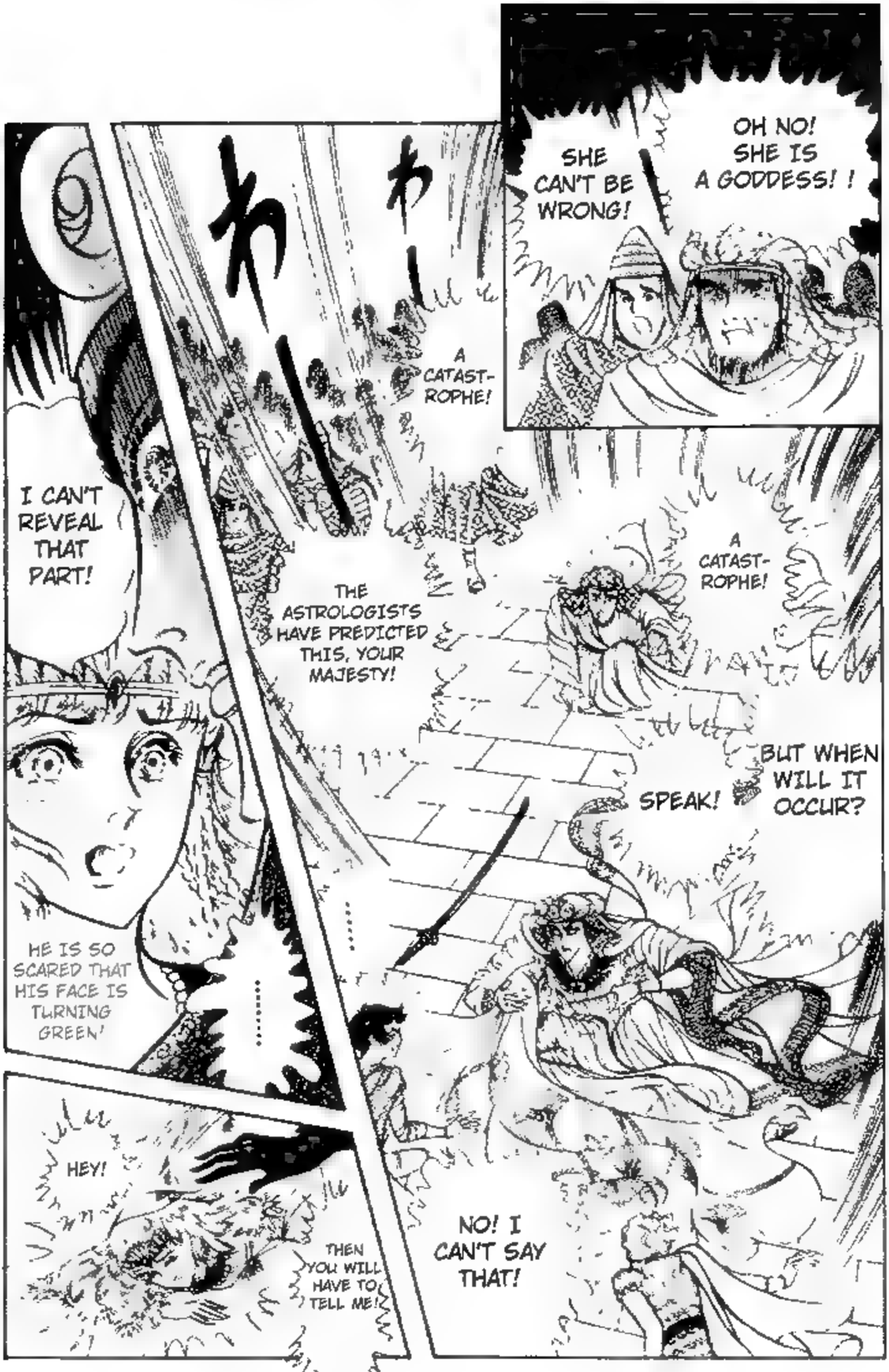
YES!
WE WILL PUNISH THEM RIGHT AWAY AFTER WE HAVE FOUND SOME EVIDENCE!
TO SEE IF SHE WAS RIGHT...
I WILL VERIFY CAROL'S WORDS...

WE HAVE TO FIND RAGASHU'S WEAK POINT!
YOUR MAJESTY
WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO NOW?
I WILL NOT WORK FOR HIM!
I WILL TRY TO REMEMBER FROM MY LESSONS...
DID HE HAVE ANY WEAK POINTS IN THE BOOKS THAT I READ?
SO THAT HE WILL NOT MOBILIZE THE SOLDIERS!
WE HAVE TO DO SOMETHING TO MAKE RAGASHU PANIC....
THE BABYLONIAN KINGS ALONG WITH THE GOVERNORS ARE BUSY OBSERVING THE HEAVENS FOR THEIR FORTUNE!
THAT'S RIGHT! IN THE ANCIENT TIMES, ASTRONOMY WAS VALUED!

QUEEN CAROL, WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
YOU HAVE BEEN MUMBLING THINGS BY YOURSELF ...
I HAVE A WAY TO DEAL WITH RAGASHU!
THE LUNAR ECLIPSE PHENOMENON IS VIEWED AS A BAD OMEN AND IS BELIEVED TO AFFECT THE HEALTH OF THE KING!
THEY ESPECIALLY PAID ATTENTION TO THE SUN AND MOON!
HOW WILL YOU ACCOMPLISH THAT?
THAT'S RIGHT! I WILL MAKE HIM CEASE HIS HAND!
WHAT? YOU ARE DECIDING TO INTIMIDATE HIM?
PLEASE THINK ABOUT THIS CAREFULLY, YOUR MAJESTY... RAGASHU IS AN EVIL PERSON AND IS DISTRUSTFUL!
I HAVE A PLAN...
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?
. AND I WILL TEST IT...
HE WILL PAY FOR DARING TO IMPRISON US DOWN THERE LIKE MICE!

WHAT?
THE MOON WILL BE "EATEN" ...
ON THE NIGHT OF THE NEXT FULL MOON, SOMETHING BAD WILL HAPPEN!
KING RAGASHU, I HAVE BAD NEWS FOR YOU ...
IN THE 7TH CENTURY B.C., THE ASTROLOGISTS HAVE ENGRAVED ON A CLAY TABLET RETELLING A STORY OF A KING OF BABYLON WHO DIED OUT OF THE BLUE ON ONE NIGHT DURING A LUNAR ECLIPSE...SOON AFTER, THE COUNTRY WENT INTO A CRISIS... ONE MUST WONDER IF THIS KING WAS KING RAGASHU...?
THAT IS A SIGNAL FROM THE HEAVENS THAT YOUR NUMBERS ARE OVER, FOLLOWED BY THE RUINS OF BABYLON!
AT THE LAST MOMENT THE SKY WILL TURN DARK LIKE INK ...
CAROL! YOU ARE MAKING THAT UP TO INTIMIDATE ME, RIGHT?
I AM A FORTUNE-TELLER WHO ONLY KNOWS THE EARNEST WILLS OF THE GODS....IT'S FINE IF YOU DON'T BELIEVE ME!
HEY, IS SOMETHING THE MATTER?
AND I DON'T KNOW WHEN A LUNAR ECLIPSE WILL OCCUR .
IN THE PRESENT TIME, PEOPLE CAN PREDICT THE LUNAR ECLIPSE A FEW MONTHS BEFORE ITS APPEARANCE...

HA!
HA!
THAT CAN'T HAPPEN! IF THE MOON IS GOING TO BE "EATEN" BY THE SUN, THEN MY ASTROLOGISTS WOULD HAVE FOUND THAT OUT BEFORE!
TELL ME!
WHEN WILL THAT HAPPEN?
UH ... ABOUT THAT ....


OH NO! SHE IS A GODDESS!!
SHE CAN'T BE WRONG!
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A CATAST-ROPHE!
I CAN'T REVEAL THAT PART!
THE ASTROLOGISTS HAVE PREDICTED THIS, YOUR MAJESTY!
A CATAST-ROPHE!
BUT WHEN WILL IT OCCUR?
SPEAK!
HE IS SO SCARED THAT HIS FACE IS TURNING GREEN!
.....
.....
HEY!
THEN YOU WILL HAVE TO TELL ME!
NO! I CAN'T SAY THAT!

CALL THE FOUR WISE MEN TO A MEETING NOW!
FOR NOW, KEEP THIS A SECRET! DO NOT LET ANYTHING OUT!
YOUR MAJESTY, THIS IS NOT A NORMAL EVENT!
...AND DON'T TELL ANYONE THAT THE QUEEN OF EGYPT IS IMPRISONED IN HERE! I DON'T WANT ANYONE TO KNOW THE TRUTH!
I SUGGEST WE STOP ALL MILITARY ACTIONS AND FOCUS MORE ON PRAYING FOR YOUR FORGIVENESS!
VERY GOOD!
MY ACTION HAS CREATED AN EFFECT!

THAT'S JUST LIKE THE HISTORY BOOK SAYS! THE LUNAR ECLIPSE IS AN OMINOUS SIGN TO ANCIENT KINGS!
DO IT QUICK!
YES, YOUR MAJESTY!
THAT'S RIGHT! ORDER THE TEMPLE TO PREPARE A FESTIVAL TO THE GOD!
RAGASHU SEEMS TO BE VERY ALARMED! HE SEEMS TO HAVE FORGOTTEN HIS EVIL ATTITUDE ..
YOU ARE RIGHT, YOUR MAJESTY!
HE IS SO SCARED!
OMRI, GATHER EVERYONE AT THE MEETING ROOM!
YES!
RUKA, HOLD ON, OK?
UNASU, GIVE ME THE BANDAGE!
YES!
RAGASHU'S BLADE IS TOO CRUEL!
"A TWISTED AND EVIL MAN WILL REAP A STORM..."*
I ALSO WISH THAT EVIL PEOPLE LIKE HIM WILL ALSO BE PUNISHED BY THE GODS!

*->A VIETNAMESE SAYING<-

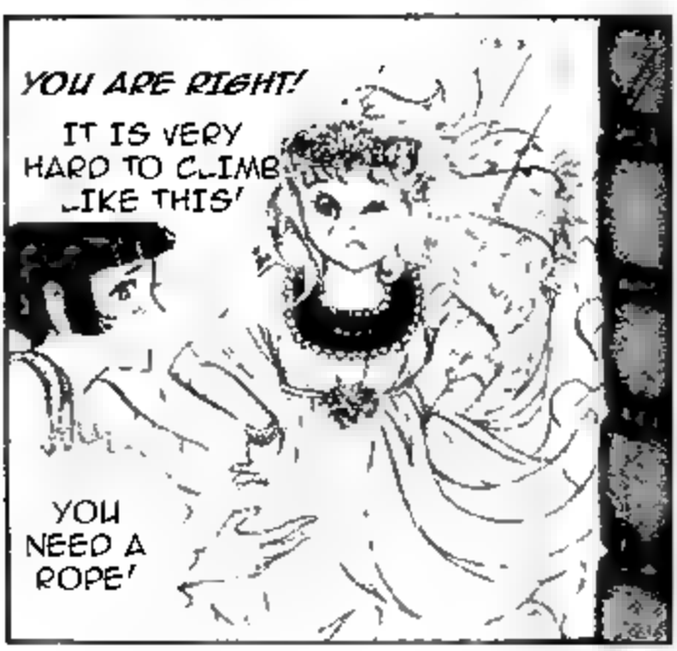
I MADE UP A STORY TO INTIMIDATE RAGASHU, BUT EVEN THESE TWO BELIEVED ME!
WHAT YOUR MAJESTY SAID WAS CORRECT!
THEN A CATASTROPHE IS ABOUT TO BEFALL BABYLON!
OH, PRINCE ...
ONLY THIS GIRL WILL BE SUITABLE FOR YOU!
HOW DO I EXPLAIN IT SO THAT THEY'LL UNDERSTAND?
YOU REALLY ARE A FORTUNE-TELLER!

THE MOON IS ABOUT TO BE "EATEN"!
A LUNAR ECLIPSE IS ABOUT TO OCCUR!
RAGASHU IS NOW SO WORRIED THAT HE FORGOT ABOUT THE MILITARY SECRET PLAN,
BUT IF HE DOESN'T SEE THE LUNAR ECLIPSE, HE WILL KNOW THAT I LIED!
I HAVE PLAYED A DANGEROUS GAME...
IF THINGS GO BADLY, I MAY EVEN LOSE MY LIFE!
OH....IF THAT HAPPENS, I WON'T BE ABLE TO RETURN TO EGYPT!
MENFUISU AND I WILL THEN BE APART FOREVER...

IF I CAN CLIMB
THROUGH THAT LITTLE HOLE, I WILL BE ABLE TO CONTACT THE PEOPLE OUTSIDE!
I WANT TO SEE THE NILE, MEET THE RIGHTEOUS PEOPLE OF THEBES, AND TO HAVE YOU EMBRACE ME IN YOUR ARMS!
WHAT AM I TO DO NOW? I REALLY WANT TO RETURN TO EGYPT, MENFUISU...
COME SAVE ME, MENF-UISU!

HELP ME CLIMB UP TO THE OPENING!
BUT IT IS VERY DANGEROUS!
DON'T WORRY! I WILL BE CAREFUL!

MY ESCORTS HAVE NOT RETURNED TO EGYPT YET ....
RUKA, UNASU, YOU TWO HELP ME!
?
THEY MAY HAVE SENT PEOPLE TO THE TOWER TO WAIT FOR NEWS OF ME...


YOU ARE RIGHT!
IT IS VERY HARD TO CLIMB LIKE THIS!
YOU NEED A ROPE!

THIS WALL IS VERY CURVED AND STEEP!
YOU CAN'T DO IT, YOUR MAJESTY! YOU HAVE TO FIND ANOTHER WAY!
I HAVE ALREADY TOLD YOU ..

WE WILL TEAR THE DOOR CURTAINS ...
.....
AND WE WILL MAKE A LONG ROPE...
HEY! I UNDER-STAND!
I HAVE TO MAKE USE OF THE TIME WHEN THEY ARE ALARMED TO SNEAK AWAY ...
THE LEAST I CAN DO IS TO DELIVER NEWS OUTSIDE...
IT IS DETER-MINED THAT SHE IS IMPRISONED IN THERE!

A LUNAR ECLIPSE IS ABOUT TO OCCUR
YOU DON'T KNOW?
WHAT?
THE GUARDS SEEM TO BE WORRIED...
JUST GIVE UP AND RETURN!
OH HASSAN...YOU DON'T HAVE ANY EVIDENCE IN YOUR HANDS...
I HEARD THAT IT CAME FROM THE WORDS OF A FEMALE FORTUNE-TELLER IN THE TOWER!
I HEARD THE GUARDS SPEAK ABOUT IT AMONG EACH OTHER!
WHO SAID THAT?
ARI!
WHERE IS ARI?!
COULD THAT FEMALE BE CAROL?
THE WORDS OF A FEMALE FORTUNE-TELLER?
HASSAN,THAT IS JUST A RUMOUR!

I BELIEVE RAGASHU IS HIDING SOMETHING FROM ME...
YES, I THINK SO TOO!
ARI, HAVE PEOPLE INVESTI-GATE THIS!
UNASU AND RUKA LEAD CAROL INTO THE BABEL TOWER, BUT THEY'VE YET TO COME OUT!
HMM....
THE MANY NIGHTS STRETCHED TO MANY WEEKS AND STILL NO NEWS WAS REPORTED!
REP-ORT!
WHEN I ASKED THE PEOPLE OF BABYLON, THEY TOLD ME THAT QUEEN CAROL WANTS TO SEE THE TOWER FOR A FEW MORE NIGHTS...
WHAT?
GENERAL, I HAVE HEARD THAT A LUNAR ECLIPSE IS ABOUT TO OCCUR!

YES! I AM HERE! DOES YOUR MAJESTY HAVE AN ORDER?
ARI, HAVEN'T YOU NOTICED?
?
RAGASHU HAS NOT BEEN TO MY PLACE FOR THE PAST TWO DAYS...
HE SEEMS TO BE NERVOUS AND WHENEVER I ASK HIM, HE ALWAYS TELLS ME THAT HE HAS WORK TO DO AT THE TEMPLE!
HAVE YOU HEARD ANYTHING NEW?
I HAVE NOT, YOUR MAJESTY!
ANOTHER THING:
WHY AREN'T THE ESCORTS OF EGYPT ALLOWED TO RETURN IF CAROL IS ALREADY DEAD?

FABULOUS

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HOW TROUBLESOME! UNASU AND RUKA LED CAROL INTO THE TOWER OF BABEL, BUT THEY HAVE NOT YET RETURNED!

I FEEL AS IF RAGASHU IS HIDING SOMETHING FROM ME.... HE CAN'T SAY IT STRAIGHT TO MY FACE...

YES, YOUR SERVANT FEELS THE SAME WAY -

THE "COUPLE" OF DAYS HAVE TURNED INTO WEEKS NOW WITHOUT ANY NEWS...

I HAVE ASKED THE COURT ABOUT THE MATTER, BUT THEY TOLD ME THAT CAROL WANTED TO REMAIN INSIDE THE TOWER FOR A COUPLE MORE DAYS

REP-ORT!

ARI, I ORDER YOU TO INVESTIGATE THIS MATTER!

WHAT?

GENERAL, I HAVE RECEIVED NEWS OF AN UPCOMING ECLIPSE!

WHAT HAVE YOU ALL BEEN DOING??

YOU ALL HAVE BEEN OBSERVING THE SUN FOR SO LONG AND YET YOU DON'T HAVE A CLUE THAT AN ECLIPSE IS ABOUT TO OCCUR?

YOU ARE ALL INCOMPETENT!

WHO TOLD YOU THAT?

THE SOLDIERS WERE TALKING ABOUT IT!

OH, GOD! THAT IS A BAD OMEN!

HEY, HAVE YOU LADIES HEARD? AN ECLIPSE IS ABOUT TO OCCUR!

WHAT?

YOUR HIGHNESS, THERE SEEMS TO BE A FORETELLING OF AN ECLIPSE!

THIS OMEN CONCERNS THE LIFE OF THE KING!

OUR KING IS VERY WORRIED!

THE COURT IS OFFERING PRAYERS...

A FORETELLING? IT MUST HAVE COME FROM THE PRIESTS OF BABYLON!

OR PERHAPS ...

SHUT UP! YOU ALL GET PAID TO GLEEM AT THE SKY....YET YOU CAN'T EVEN DO THAT WELL??

IF YOU DON'T FIND THE ABNORMALITY, I WILL HAVE YOUR HEADS!!

PERHAPS THAT IS WHY WE WERE UNABLE TO NOTICE ANY OCCUR-ENCES

PLEASE COOL YOUR TEMPER, YOUR HIGHNESS! THERE ARE FOGS AT NIGHT DURING THIS TIME OF THE YEAR...

SHUT UP!

HONESTLY, YOUR HIGHNESS, I HAVE NOT NOTICED ANY ABNORMALITIES WITH THE SKY.

TO DEAL WITH THE UPCOMING CATASTROPHE ...

YOUR HIGH-NESS HAS TO FIND A REPL-ACEMENT!

A REPL-ACEMENT, EH?

YOU'RE HIGH-NESS, I HAVE JUST THOUGHT OF SOMETHING ...

SPEAK!

TELL ME! QUICK!

...

UNTIL THE ECLIP-SE HAS PASSED!

?

THE REPLACEMENT SHALL IMPERSONATE YOU'RE HIGHNESS ...

YES, THE REPLACE-MENT IS ONLY TEMP-ORARY, OF COURSE...

YOU'RE HIGHNESS SHALL TAKE REFUGE INSIDE THE TOWER OF BABEL! THAT IS THE SAFEST PLACE FOR NOW!

THAT'S REASON-ABLE! WH-ERE WILL I STAY IN THAT "TEMPO-RARY" AM-OUNT OF TIME THEN?

THE REPLACEMENT WILL BEAR ALL OF YOUR PUNISHMENTS FROM THE HEAVENS. **YOU**, ON THE OTHER HAND, WILL RETURN TO THE THRONE WHEN THIS IS ALL OVER,

LIKE NOT-HING HAS HAPP-ENED!

AHH...SO IT IS GOOD THAT I HAVE DESIGNED THE TOWER OF BABEL TO BE BOTH STURDY AND SECRETIVE!

MY PREDECES-SORS HAVE USED THIS PLAN TO EF-FICIENTLY ESCAPE PUNISH-MENT!

VERY GOOD!

HOW COME I HAVEN'T THOUGHT OF THAT? OMRI, YOU ARE VERY INTELL-IGENT!

THERE IS STILL THE LINGERING PROBLEM OF FINDING A REPLACEMENT FOR ME! YOU ALL GO FIND ME ONE!

I'M RELI-EVED!

VERY GOOD! WE DID IT!

PLEASE HOLD ON, YOUR MAJESTY, THERE IS ONLY A LITTLE BIT MORE TO GO...

UGH...MY DRESS IS SUCH A BURDERN!

THE ECL-IPSE WILL OCCUR THEN! THAT IS WHY WE NEED TO FIND YOUR HIGHNESS A REPLACENENT QUICK!

THE SUN IS STILL CRESECENT ...IT WILL BE FULL IN APPROXI-MATELY 10 DAYS...

NOT ONLY THE SOLDIERS ARE WORRIED SICK ABOUT THE UP-COMING CATAS-TROPHE, BUT THE CITIZENS AND REFUGEES ARE, AS WELL

THIS IS A VENTILA-TION OP-ENING

LOOK, THE BARS ARE MADE OF BRONZE!

THEY WERE PRODUCED WITH THE HELP OF SMOKE! THAT'S WHY THEY'RE SO STURDY!

THEY WON'T BUDGE!!

IT MEANS CALAMITY FOR BABY-LON!

WHAT A SCARY EVENT!

HOW FRIGHT-FUL!

THE MOON WILL BE "EATEN" SOON!

THE PEO-PLE ARE VERY FRIG-HTENED!

POOR THEM... ALL THIS HAPP-ENED BEC-AUSE OF MY BLUFF WITH RAGASHU.

IT IS VERY BRIGHT OVER THERE! IS THAT THE TEMPLE?

THE WHOLE KINGDOM IS BUSY TRYING TO DEAL WITH THE UPCOMING ECLIPSE

YES, YOU'RE MAJESTY! YOUR PRED-ICTIONS HAVE STIRRED PAN.C* WITHIN THEM!

*literally "excitement"

LIKE THE BABYLONIAN CITIZENS, CAROL HERSELF IS ALSO FRIGHTENED-- SHE QUESTIONS HER ACTIONS OF FORETELLING A FAKE ECLIPSE

THE ALARMED CRIES OF THE BABYLONIANS RESOUNDS FAINTLY TO CAROL'S EARS AS SHE IS BEING KEPT CAPTIVE AT THE EVIL HANDS OF RAGASHU, THE KING OF BABYLON

. . .

I PRAY TO THEE, GODS..

THE KINGDOM WILL TURN INTO DUST!

IT'S A BAD OMEN!

WE ARE GOING TO DIE!

CAROL REGRETS THREATENING THE KING OF BABYLON WITH A FAUX PREDICTION.

AT THE MOMENT, CAROL'S PREDICTIONS ALSO STIRS PANIC WITHIN THE CITIZENS OF BABYLON

PLEASE SAVE US ALL!

MY APOLOGIES, CITIZENS OF BABYLON.

IT IS TOO LATE FOR ME TO FEEL REGRET I CAN'T TAKE BACK MY WORDS NOW..

Editor's Note: Page was really faded from the start

A CLAY TABLET ABOUT THE CIVILIZATION OF BABYLON WAS EXCAVATED IN THE MODERN TIMES. ON IT WAS WRITTEN: IF AN ECLIPSE OCCURS, THE KING WILL DIE AND THE KINGDOM WILL BE SPLIT IN HALF

HOW FRIGHTENING! I DID NOT WANT THIS TO HAPPEN! I JUST WANTED TO INTIMIDATE RAGASHU SO THAT I WILL HAVE TIME TO ESCAPE BABYLON, NOTHING MORE!

LOOK, RUKA.. THE GUARDS!

I DID NOT REALIZE THAT THE COURTIER OF BABYLON WAS SO GULLIBLE TO BELIEVE A PREDICTION FROM A "GODDESS" TO STIR GREAT PANIC WITHIN THE CITIZENS OF BABYLON!

HOPEFULLY NOTHING BAD WILL OCCUR BECAUSE THE DAY OF THE ECLIPSE IS ALMOST HERE...

WAIT...NO...NOTHING WILL HAPPEN BECAUSE MY PREDICTIONS WERE ALL BOGUS!

THE POSSIBILITY OF AN ECLIPSE TO THE BABYLONIANS CAN BE COMPARED TO THE APOCALYPSE BECAUSE RUMOURS OF THIS KIND CAN CREATE PANDEMONIUM FOR THE KINGDOM!

HIC HIC HIC

OH MENFUISU, WHAT ARE YOU DOING RIGHT NOW? DO YOU KNOW THAT MY LIFE IS HANGING IN THE BALANCE?

IF I HAD NOT INTIMIDATED RAGASHU BACK THEN, HE DEFINITELY WOULD HAVE TAKEN BOTH RUKA'S AND UNASU'S HEAD. MAYBE EVEN MINE!

ANY ABNORMALITIES, SOLDIER?

NOTHING, GENERAL!

DO NOT LET ANYONE IN OR OUT! ...AND REMEMBER, GUARD WITH STRICT PRECAUTIONS!

SORRY, I MADE YOU TWO WORRIED. I PROMISE TO NOT CRY ANYMORE!

WE WILL TRY TO FIND A WAY FOR YOU TO GO BACK TO EGYPT!

HIC HIC HIC

PLEASE DON'T BE WORRIED AND SAD, YOU'RE MAJESTY... WE STILL HAVE TIME!

LET'S CAREFULLY FIND AN OUTLET TO ESCAPE WHILE RAGASHU IS TRYING TO FIND A WAY TO COPE WITH THE ECLIPSE ...

OH NO! IT LOOKS LIKE THEY INCREASED THE AMOUNT OF GUARDS!

THE ONLY ESCAPE IS THROUGH THE VENTILATION OPENING!

BUT...WE ALREADY TRIED THAT OPENING...

WHY ARE WE BEING PUNISHED?

THE CITIZENS OF BABY-LON HAVE NOT DONE ANYTHING!

PERHAPS THE KING-DOM IS TOO EVIL AND CORRUPT!

SHH!

WATCH WHAT YOU SAY! YOU MIGHT LOSE YOUR HEAD!

DON'T UNDERES-TIMATE ME... I AM ACC-USTOMED TO THE SLOPE NOW...I WON'T SLIP ANYMORE

YES, YOU'RE MAJ-ESTY

DON'T DAWDLE! UNASU, CLIMB UP FIRST AND THEN LIFT ME UP!

YES, YOU'RE MAJ-ESTY!

BUT...

YOU WANT TO CLIMB AGAIN?

I WILL TRY ONCE MORE!

PLEASE PRESERVE ENERGY, YOU'RE MAJESTY!

IN THE PAST RAIAN, RODEI, AND I USED TO CLIMB MOUNTAINS TEN TIMES HIGHER THAN THIS!

REMEMBER TO HOLD ON TIGHT,

YOU'RE MAJESTY!

IT'S A PITY THAT I DON'T HAVE ANY OTHER DRESSES. THIS DRESS IS TOO BURDEN-SOME!

I WILL ASSIST YOU!

SHE IS AS PURE AND IN-NOCENT AS A LIT-TLE CHILD

SHE IS A VERY PURE PERSON

PRINCE IZUMIN, I UNDER-STAND WHAT YOU SEE IN THIS GIRL.

HOPEF-
ULLY,
LUCK WILL
BE ON
MY SIDE

HOW IS IT?!
WHY ARE YOU
ALL TAKING
SUCH A LONG
TIME?!

THE LITTLE
VENTILATION
OPENING IS
MY PRIMARY
ESCAPE ROUTE
RIGHT NOW

BE
CARE-
FUL!

YES,
SIR!

GUARD THE
VACINITY OF
THE TOWER
WITH GREAT
DISCRETION!

YOU STILL
HAVE NOT
FOUND MY
REPLACE-
MENT YET?!

INCREASE
THE NUMBER
OF GUARDS
FOR ME!

YOUR REPLACEMENT HAS TO BE ONE WITH A SIMILAR LINEAGE TO YOUR HIGHNESS

YES, THAT'S RIGHT!

I ASK THAT YOU'RE HIGHNESS REMAIN CALM. THIS IS A VERY IMPORTANT MATTER THAT THE COURT OFFICIALS WILL NEED TO DECIDE ON.

YOU'RE ALL TOO SLOW!

I WILL NOT BE SAFE AND SATISFIED UNTIL A REPLACEMENT IS FOUND FOR ME

AN ECLIPSE IS THE WORST THING TO HAPPEN TO WE BABYLONIAN KINGS

THAT IS THE SAFEST PLACE FOR ME TO ESCAPE CALAMITY!

I WILL TAKE REFUGE IN THE DEEPEST PARTS OF THE TOWER OF BABEL

WHEN THE TIME COMES, I WILL HIDE IN THE SHADOWS

YOU ALL HAVE SPENT DAYS PRAYING AND COMMUNI-CATING AMONG EACH OTHER AND YET YOU STILL HAVE NOT FOUND A SUITABLE REPLACEMENT?

WORK FASTER FROM NOW UNTIL THE MOON IS FULL

...THE ECLIPSE COULD OCCUR AT ANY MOMENT...

I AM WORRIED WITH FEAR!

OH GREAT AND DIVINE KING..

AHH... YOU HAVE FINALLY FINISHED?

WHAT OF IT? HAVE YOU FOUND ME A REPLA-CEMENT?!

LONG LIVE YOU'RE HIGHN-ESS!

HE WILL GLADLY BE A REPLACE-MENT TO RECE-IVE PUNISHMENTS FOR YOU'RE HIGHNESS

I HAVE CHOSEN GANZU, MY VERY OWN SON

VERY GOOD! IF HE LOOKS THE SAME AS ME, THEN I AM RELIEVED!

ARI, ANY NEWS YET?

WHAT IS HIS PURPOSE OF KEEPING HIMSELF INSIDE THERE?

FOR REAL!

HOW COME HE DID NOT INFORM ME of THIS?

I HAVE HEARD THAT OVER THE PAST FEW DAYS, THE KING HAS KEPT HIMSELF INSIDE THE PALACE...HE DAREN'T GO OUTSIDE

YES, YOU'RE MAJESTY

BABYLON HAS BEEN TUMULTUOUS LATELY ...!

YES, THEY ARE PREP-ARING FOR A CERE-MONY

I AM GROWING BORED OF LIVING HERE!

HUH?

INVESTIGATE WHAT IS GOING ON..ONCE YOU FIND OUT, REPORT BACK RIGHT AWAY!

YES, YOU'RE MAJE-STY!

A CERE-MONY, HEH? THERE IS DEFINITELY SOMETHING GOING ON!

I WANT TO RETURN TO EGYPT.

I WANT TO RETURN TO MY BEL-OVED MEN-FUISU

I WONDER IF MENFUISU HAS RECEIVED NEWS THAT CAROL IS IN DANGER YET.

THE CERE-MONY SHOULD ALMOST BE STAR TING..

I KNOW ALREA DY!

HOPE-FULLY, I WILL NOT MEET CATAS-TROPHE

I WANT TO RETURN TO EGYPT RIGHT NOW..

MY LOVE RIVAL IS FINALLY DEAD!

SURELY THE KINGDOM WILL SPLIT APART TOO?

SINCE THERE IS AN ECLIPSE, THE KING WILL CERTAINLY PASS AWAY, RIGHT?

HEY, LET'S GIVE NEWS OF THE ECLIPSE TO THE HITTITE PRINCE RIGHT AWAY!

HMMMOO

LET'S STAY A FEW MORE NIGHTS TO OBS-ERVE THE SIT-UATION!

SOON, THE ECLIPSE WILL BRING DEATH AND GRIEF TO THIS KINGDOM . . .

IT WILL NOT BE SAFE HERE!

IT WOULD BE BEST TO RETURN TO ASSYRIA!

HMM

PERHAPS QUEEN CAROL DOES NOT WANT TO RETURN TO EGYPT BECAUSE OF THE ECLIPSE!

UNBELIEVABLE! IF THEY LEFT, THE QUEEN SHOULD HAVE INFORMED US BEFOREHAND!

HEAD GENERAL, I TRIED TO COMMUNICATE WITH UNASU, BUT I ULTIMATELY FAILED, APPARENTLY, THEY DISAPPEARED MYSTERIOUSLY

DISGUISE YOURSELVES AND INVESTIGATE THIS MATTER FURTHER!

CLEAR!

THIS IS A VERY DUBIOUS MATTER..

THE BABYLONIAN SOLDIERS ALSO TOLD ME THAT, BUT I WAS NOT SO QUICK TO BELIEVE THEM.

OH HASAN, ARE YOU SURE YOU REALLY WANT TO BREAK INTO THE TOWER?

I'M SURE!

IF YOU'RE AFRAID, GO HOME!

LISTEN TO ME...CARE ABOUT YOURSELF ONCE IN A WHILE AND JUST CONCENTRATE ON BUSINESS!

WHY I OUGHTA ...!

YOU WILL LOSE YOUR HEAD IF THEY FIND OUT!

I WILL DISGUISE MYSELF AS A PROVISIONAL MERCHANT

LEAVE IT OVER THERE!

WHERE DO I PUT THE FOOD?

OH LOOK, THERE'S A PROVIS-IONAL MER-CHANT!

WOW!

IT LOOKS LIKE A MILITARY ZONE!

IT'S QUITE SPACIOUS IN HERE!

WE ARE PROVISIONAL MERCHANTS BRINGING FOOD TO THIS SITE! WE'RE NOT SUSPICIOUS AT ALL...! EHH...

LOOK HERE! WE JUST HAVE MEAT AND BREAD!

HEY!

WHO IN THE WORLD ARE YOU GUYS??!

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THERE WERE TOO MANY GUARDS AT THE TOWER.. HOW SUSPICIOUS!

THAT WAS CLOSE! WE WERE SO CLOSE TO LOSING OUR HEADS!

YES SIRS! WE WILL LEAVE RIGHT AWAY!

VERY WELL! LEAVE THE FOOD HERE AND LEAVE THIS INSTANT!

WHAT?!

WE WILL BREAK INTO THE TOWER TONIGHT!

NOW I AM MORE THAN SURE THAT THE NILE GIRL IS BEING KEPT CAPTIVE INSIDE..

THAT FURTHER SUPPORTS

MY BELIEF .....!

THE SECUR-ITY IS TOO TIGHT!

IT WILL BE HARD TO SNEAK PAST THE GATE!

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WHAT IS IT?

ANYTHING STRANGE?

IF WE USE ROCKS WE WILL BE ABLE TO BREAK THE BARS..BUT THE GUARDS WILL HEAR US..

IT IS LATE INTO THE NIGHT... WE SHO-ULD REST!

THE BARS WOULDN'T EVEN BUDGE EVEN AFTER WE'VE SHAKEN THEM FOR SO LONG..

OWW!! MY HANDS HURT! C

THE BARS WERE MADE TO BE VERY STRONG!

IT IS VERY BRIGHT IN THAT DIRECTION...THE PRIESTS MUST BE PERFORMING A CEREMONY..

WE HAVE TO CLIMB DOWN..IT IS ALMOST TIME FOR THE GUARDS TO BE HERE..!

HOW FRUSTRATING! IF ONLY WE HAD A SAW...

HEY!

OH...OK!

HOW FORTUNATE...I JUST THOUGHT THAT.....

!

SHHH!

NO, THAT'S NOT IT!

OH NO!

WE'VE BEEN DISCOVERED!

WAIT A MIN-UTE!

YOU'RE MAJESTY, PLEASE

HUH?

ISN'T THAT...

HERE ARE THE STONES YOU'RE MAJESTY!

IT IS HASAN! YOU'RE MAJESTY HAS A SHARP EYE!

GIVE ME A FEW STONES!

WHAT? HASAN?

LOOK THERE!

THERE IS SOMEONE THAT LOOKS SIMILAR TO HASAN UNDERNEATH THE TREES

AH!

OWW!

THEY'RE OVER THERE!

...THE NILE GIRL!

OH GOD!

THAT'S RIGHT, YOU'RE MAJESTY!

I HAVE BEEN LOOKING FOR YOU FOR 3 DAYS NOW!

YOU ARE HERE TO RESCUE ME, YES?

HASAN!

HOW COME YOU ARE HERE?!

LET'S HURRY IT UP!

I THOUGHT THAT TOO RIGHT AFTER I SAW CAROL ENTER THE TOWER, BUT DID NOT LEAVE...

HASAN, WE HAVE BEEN IMPRISONED HERE BY RAGASHU!

HOW ABOUT BE JOIN FORCES TO BREAK THE BARS?

YOU CAN'T DO ANYTHING AT THE MOMENT!

WE CAN'T DO THAT! WE WILL MAKE TOO MUCH NOISE! THE GUARDS WILL NOTICE...

IT'S JUST A COINC-IDENCE...

YOU HAVE ARRIVED AT THE PERFECT MOMENT...

HOW FORT-UNATE WE ARE!

WHAT DO I DO NOW, YOU'RE MAJESTY?

ASK HIM TO COMMUNICATE WITH ASISU TO REPORT WHAT RAGASHL HAS DONE...

RIGHT NOW, I ASK YOU TO REPORT THE SITUATION TO THE HEAD GENERAL OF EGYPT...

BUT IF WE DO IT IN THE DAYTIME IT WOULD BE EASIER FOR US TO BE DISCOVERED

WHAT ARE WE TO DO NOW?

I WANT YOU TO GET ME A VERY IMPORTANT MERCHAND SE THAT WILL HELP ME ESCAPE FROM THIS PLACE...!

AFTER THAT, PLEASE HEAD TO THE CITY OF SABARU. IT'S ABOUT A HALF-DAY'S WALK FROM HERE..

RUN, HASAN! A BUNCH OF GUARDS ARE COMING!

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LONG LIVE THE KING!

LONG LIVE THE K NG!

WE'RE COUNTING ON YOU!
HASAN, BE CAREFUL NOT TO GET CAUGHT!

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DANGER! PLEASE QUICKLY CLIMB DOWN!
DON'T LET THEM BE SUSPICIOUS!

QUI CKLY!

WE GOT DOWN!
HIDE THE ROPE!

WHOAH! IT'S VERY SLIPPERY!
DON'T LOOK DOWN!
HURRY UP!

SO IT IS YOU, RAGASHU...!

YOU ARE STILL AWAKE EVEN AT THIS LATE HOUR, QUEEN CAROL?

IT'S VERY INCONVENIENT FOR YOU TO VISIT AT THIS TIME!

DON'T WORRY... JUST LET ME DEAL WITH IT!

HA HA HA

YOUR ATTITUDE REMINDS ME OF WHEN I FIRST MET YOU!

I AM RESTING. PLEASE STEP OUT OF THIS PLACE!

WHAT DO YOU WANT, RAGASHU?

PLEASE LET ME ADVISE YOU THAT THIS IS MY HOME...!

I CAN ENTER AND LEAVE AT ANY TIME! NO ONE CAN PREVENT ME FROM DO-ING SO!

HUH?

YOU, MY DEAR, MUST BE SO SAD AFTER BEING KEPT IN A PLACE LIKE THIS..

WOULD YOU PREFER COMPANY?

RAGASHU, I AM WARNING YOU AGAINST WHAT YOU JUST SAID!

YOU ARE A QUEEN. I AM A KING...IS IT WRONG FOR US TO BE TOGETHER?

HA HA HA HA

DON'T FORGET THAT I AM THE ROYAL QUEEN OF EGYPT!

HE HE ...

I AM NOT JOKING WITH THEE, QUEEN CAROL!

RAGASHU, IF YOU ARE DONE JOKING, PLEASE LEAVE THIS PLACE THIS IN-STANT!

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HE HE HE HE

WHY MUST YOU BE SO FEROCIOUS, MY BELOVED CAROL...I JUST THINK THAT THIS ROOM IS TOO SPACIOUS... I WANT TO STAY WITH YOU TO BRIGHTEN THE MOOD!

RAGASHU, DON'T FORGET THAT I AM THE ONLY WIFE OF PHAROAH MENFUISU OF EGYPT!

IF YOU TOUCH ANY PART OF MY BODY, BOTH YOU AND BABYLON WILL FACE TERRIBLE CONSEQUENCES...

YOU HAVE TWO GUARDS BEHIND YOU.... YOU NEED NOT FEAR ME!

HE HE...

HOW CAN SHE BE SO SELFISH TO WORRY ME AND STAY HAPPILY IN BABYLON FOR SO LONG?
WHAT IS THE MEANING OF THIS?
WHY DOES CAROL STILL NOT WANT TO RETURN TO ME ?!
WHAT HAS BABYLON GOT TO KEEP HER THERE?

SINCE SHE IS ALSO HERE, THE NILE GIRL SHALL BE MY PROTECTOR FROM THE DISASTER!

WHAT DO WE DO NOW, UNASU?

PLEASE REMAIN CALM, YOU'RE MAJESTY...I'M PRETTY SURE HE WON'T TRY ANYTHING IF WE'RE HERE...

I WILL STAY HERE UNTIL THE ECLIPSE PASSES!

YES, THIS IS THE SAFEST PLACE FOR YOU'RE HIGHNESS!

BRING MY ESSENTIAL THINGS IN HERE!

RIGHT AWAY YOU'RE HIGHNESS!

HURRY UP, NOW!

YES, YOU'RE MAJESTY!

BE CAREFUL WITH THAT!

OH GOSH!

WE MUST GO BACK INSIDE!

I THOUGHT HE WAS JOKING.... I HAD NO IDEA THAT HE WAS SPEAKING THE TRUTH!

?

WHY DO YOU BELIEVE THAT I AM YOUR GUARDIAN?

HA HA HA

I FEEL SORRY FOR YOU

THE ECLIPSE SHALL DESCEND UPON YOU SOON..

I AM NOT AFRAID BECAUSE I HAVE A REPLACEMENT

HE WILL DIE FOR ME!

WHAT THE DEVIL? WHO WOULD WILLINGLY REPLACE FOR THAT GUY?

AS I KNOW....WHEN A RULER FACES A CATASTROPHE, HE CAN CHOOSE TO HAVE A REPLACEMENT TO BEAR ALL THE PUNISHMENTS FOR THE CRIMES THAT HE HIMSELF COMMITED

...

...WHILE THEY THEMSELVES SNEAK TO A SAFE LOCATION

WHAT DID YOU JUST SAY?

HOW DO YOU KNOW THE TRICK THAT WE BABYLONIANS HAVE BEEN USING FOR GENERATIONS?

WHO TOLD YOU?

NO ONE TOLD ME!

I GUESSED!

ANSWER ME!

IF YOU OP-POSE ME AGAIN, I WILL KILL YOUR GUARDS!

HEY!

NOW THAT YOU KNOW, YOU SHOULD BEHAVE...

I'M TERRIBLY SORRY...I FORGET THAT YOU ARE A GODDESS WHO HAS CLARITY OF BOTH THE PRESENT AND THE PAST! IF YOU GET FORTELLINGS, YOU'D BE BETTER OFF LETTING ME KNOW!

NO!

IF YOU HELP ME, I WILL RAISE A STATUE IN YOUR HONOR AND FORCE THE BABYLONI-ANS TO PRAY UPON IT!

YOU CAN'T REFUSE THIS, MY LOVE!

AHH, I FORGOT...

I HAVE ASISU IN MY HANDS, TOO...NOW, IF YOU REFUSE, I WILL KILL HER!

YOU IMBECILE! DON'T EXPECT ME TO COOP-ERATE WITH YOU!

OH GOSH! POOR ASISU ...

YOUR HIGHNESS, IT ISTIME FOR THE CEREMONYTO NDUCT YOUR HIGHNESS' REPLACEMENT!

THE OFFICIALS ARE AWATING YOUR ARRIVAL!

HE USES EVERYONE AS LEVE-RAGE TO BEND CAROL'S WILL

WHAT AN IG-NOBLE MAN!

THEY LOCK-ED THE DOOR!

INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF GUARDS TO THE SUB-LEVEL OF THIS TOWER!

YOU HAVE DONE WELL!

YOUR HIGHNESS, I HAVE PREPARED EVERYTHING IN HERE!

YES, YOU'RE RIGHT! RAGASHU HAS FOUND A REPLACE-MENT AND IS PLAN-NING TO STAY HERE UNTIL THE ECLIP-SE IS OVER...

WE'RE STUCK WITH HIM IN-THIS PLACE...!

YOUR MAJESTY, THE SITUATION IS GETTING WORSE. IT IS VERY UNFOR-TUNATE FOR US!

HOPEFULLY, HASAN HAS FOLLOWED MY DIREC-TIONS ..

WHAT YOU SAY IS CORRECT, YOUR MAJ-ESTY!

TO BRING BACK THE "MERCH-ANDISE" I NEED!

IF HE COMES HERE, THAT MEANS THAT SERVANTS WILL FOLLOW. WITH THE CONFUSION OF THE AMOUNT OF PEOPLE HERE,

WE WILL HAVE MORE OPPORTUN-ITIES TO ESCAPE!

BUT NO MAT-TER...

HOPEFULLY, HASAN HAS TOLD MY PLANS TO THE EGYPTIANTROOPS..

IT'S A SECRET! I CAN'T EXPLAIN IT RIGHT NOW..

YOUR MAJESTY TOLD HASAN TO GET THE "MERCHANDISE" AT SABARU RIGHT? WHAT IS THAT "MERCHANDISE"?

TRY YOUR BEST, HASAN!

YOU ARE MY ONLY SAVIOR!

I TRUST HASAN BECAUSE HE IS QUICK AND HONEST I AM WORRIED ABOUT THAT OTHER MERCHANT CAREP, HOWEVER, SINCE HE IS GREEDY ABOUT MONEY

LET ME JOIN YOU!

HASAN, WE ARE HEADING BACK TO SABARU!

HEH! I'M NOT STUPID TO DO SUCH A DANGEROUS MATTER!

CAROL, PLEASE BELIEVE IN ME..

I WILL BRING BACK WHAT YOU WANT IN THE SHORTEST POSSIBLE TIME!

I DON'T EVER WANT TO SEE THAT WRETCHED WOMAN, ASISU, AGAIN..!

SHE MIGHT YELL AT ME!

BE CAREFUL! A DARK CLOUD IS APPROACHING!

HE WORKS FOR NO PAY ..ALL FOR THE SAKE OF "GOOD"!

I HAVE NOT MET ANYONE AS STUPID AS HASAN.

WITH ME, EVERYTHING RELIES ON MONEY!

CAREP, I WANT TO ASK YOU A FAVOR..

HUH?

I HAVE TO HURRY TO GET THE "MERCHANDISE" FOR QUEEN CAROL AND RETURN BACK TO HER RIGHT AWAY!

WHILE YOU'RE HERE, CAN YOU REACH QUEEN ASISU AND GIVE HER CAROL'S MESSAGE...

I HAVE TO ATTEND TO AN URGENT MATTER..

I CAN DO THAT!

REMEMBER THAT THIS IS AN ABSOLUTE SECRET! DON'T TELL ANYONE ELSE!

UNCLE, PLEASE TELL HER EXACTLY WHAT I SAID!

LORD MANDOC, THE DIVINE RULER OF HEAVEN AND EARTH, PLEASE BLESS OUR KING WITH GOOD FORTUNE...

THIS PERSON IS GANZU, THE SON OF RIMSIM. HE WILL BEAR THE REPONSIBLITY OF BEING MY REPLACEMENT FOR THE NEXT FEW DAYS...

YOUR ROLE AS THE KING'S REPLACEMENT, GANZU, WILL END AS SOON AS THE ECLIPSE IS OVER...!

UNCLE CAREP, GO SEE HER RIGHT AWAY! DON'T DILLY-DALLY!

UH.. SURE... I'LL GO RIGHT AWAY!

GANZU, YOU HAVE TO SINCERELY BE MY REPLACEMENT. OTHERWISE, THE LUNAR GOD WILL **BURST** OUT IN ANGER AND CURSE THE KINGDOM OF BABYLON...!

YES, YOU'RE HIGHNESS! I, GANZU, WILL ACCEPT THE RESPONSIBLITY TO ENSURE THE SURVIVAL OF THE KINGDOM!

VERY GOOD! LET'S END THE CERE-MONY!

THIS IS MY QUEEN, ASISU!

ASISU, THIS IS GANZU. HE HAS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF BEING MY REPLACEM-ENT TO DEAL WITH THE UPCOMING ECLIPSE . . .

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THERE! THE WIND IS ACTING UP!

LONG LIVE YOUR MAJESTY, THE QUEEN!

heh heh

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. I HAVE NEVER SUCH EXQUISITE BEAUTY IN MY LIFE..!

I'M JUST HAPPY TO PRETEND TO BE YOUR "HUSBAND" FOR A FEW DAYS!

HEH?

I AM GLAD TO MEET YOU, COURAGEOUS REPLACEMENT...

THIS IS QUEEN ASISU? WOW... SHE IS A BEAUTY!

YES, YOU'RE MAJESTY!

GANZU, YOU WILL BE REWARDED GENEROUSLY IF MY KING IS ALIVE AND HEALTHY ONCE THE ECLIPSE IS OVER!

WHOOSH

WHAT?

IT CAN'T BE... THE ECLIPSE IS ABOUT TO START?

THERE IS A STRONG CURRENT OF "PUTR O" AIR APPROACHING FROM THE SOUTH

HIC HIC

YOUR HIGH-NESS, A BLACK CLOUD IS AP-PROACHING...

WHAT DID YOU SAY?

THE BLOND-HAIRED GIRL!

WHO FORE-TOLD THE ECLIPSE TO YOU?

YOUR HIGH-NESS RAG-ASHU...

THE WORDS SLIPPED OUT OF MY MOUTH...

OH NO!

AHHH...UHH...

SHE TOLD ME WHEN SHE WAS STILL ALIVE!

HOW COME I ONLY RECEIVE NEWS OF THIS NOW?

WHEN DID CAROL, THE BLOND-HAIRED GIRL, TELL YOU THIS?

I'VE BEEN WAITING UNTIL THE ECLIPSE IS NEAR TO TELL YOU ABOUT IT!

AHH...I COULD NOT TELL YOU BECAUSE I DID NOT WANT YOU TO WORRY ABOUT ME.

PUNISHMENTS FOR ME ALSO ARE PUN-ISHMENTS FOR BABYLON...I HAVE TO HIDE FROM THE WR-ATH OF THE GODS IN ORDER TO KEEP THIS KINGDOM SAFE..

THAT'S WHY I'VE BEEN HIDING IT FROM YOU FOR THE PAST FEW DAYS. I WAS BUSY TRYING TO FIND A REPLA-CEMENT..

PLEASE DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME...

MY DEAR WIFE, I DIDN'T WANT YOU TO BE WORRIED AND SAD OVER THIS MATTER...

NOW, MY BEAUTIFUL QUEEN...

YOU HAVE TO PROMISE ME THAT YOU WILL HIDE INSIDE THE PALACE UNTIL THE ECLIPSE IS OVER WE WILL REUNITE ONCE IT IS OVER!

YES, I PROM-ISE!

IF YOU WANT IT LIKE THAT, THEN I HAVE NO OPTIONS THAN TO AGREE WITH YOU!

I AM COM-FORTED THAT YOU WILL BE SAFE!

WHAT ABOUT YOU, DARL-ING?

I WILL FLEE TO THE TOWER OF BABEL...THAT IS THE SAFEST PLACE FOR ME!

ORDER THEM TO KEEP THE QUEEN SAFE AND SECURE INSIDE THE PALACE!

WHERE ARE THE GUARDS-MEN?

YES, YOUR HIGHNESS!

THERE IS A DARK CLOUD IN THE MIDDLE OF THE DAY...

WHY IS THAT?

THE DARK CLOUD SPANS THE ENTIRE SKY OF BABYLON IT BRINGS ALONG WITH IT PUTRID AIR FROM THE SOUTH..."

PERHAPS THIS IS THE WRATH OF THE LUNAR GOD?

THE CLOUDS FORETELL MISFOR-TUNE

GALZU, PLEASE DO EVERYTHING I HAVE TOLD YOU....

YOU WILL RECEIVE A BIG REWARD ONCE THE ECLIPSE IS OVER!

SEE YOU ALL SOON!

LONG LIVE YOUR HIGH-NESS!

WHY DOES RAGASHU WANTS TO STAY AT THAT TOWER BY HIMSELF?

PERHAPS THE HIGH-NESS NEEDS A PLACE TO REPENT HIS ACTIONS..?

I HOPE HASAN REPORTED THE NEWS TO ASISU SO THAT

SHE CAN TAKE PRE-CAUTIONS AGAINST THAT RA-GASHU!

SHE HAS BEEN FOOLED!

YOUR HIGHNESS, PLEASE RETURN TO THE TOWER RIGHT AWAY..

SO THAT WE CAN BEGIN THE CEREMONY OF REPETENCE..

IF EVERYTHING GOES AS PLANNED, THE "MERCHANDISE" SHOULD ARRIVE IN BABYLON TOMORROW

I PRAY THAT HASAN'S JOURNEY BE SAFE.

... AND TOMORROW IS THE SUPPOSED DAY OF THE "ECLIPSE"...

THIS IS VERY OMINOUS!

IT IS ONLY NOON AND YET THE SKY IS SO DARK!

THAT'S RIGHT!

OMINOUS, EH?

PERHAPS IT IS TOMORROW?

THAT GIRL FORETOLD THAT AN ECLIPSE WILLOCCUR IN A FEW DAYS...

BACK IN THE KINGDOM OF HITTITE/

THEY ARE WORRIED THAT THE GODS' IRES WILL SPREAD TO THEIR LANDS!

REPORT THIS NEWS TO MY SON!

THE PEOPLE IN THE SURRO-UNDING AREAS ARE VERY WORRIED!

YES...A CATAS-TROPHE IS ALMOST UPON BAB-YLON...

WHAT? AN EC-LIPSE?

YES, MY PRINCE...

THE WHOLE KINGDOM OF BABYLON IS IN DISORDER RIGHT NOW!

WHAT?

AN ECLIPSE IS ABOUT T O OCCUR?

I DON'T THINK SO, MY PRINCE! IT SEEMS THAT THE NILE GIRL HAS RETURNED TO EGYPT!

I HAD PEOPLE SEARCH ALL OVER THE TOWER...THERE WERE NO SIG-NS OF THE GIRL ANY-WHERE..!

THIS MATTER DEFINITELY INVOLVES THE NILE GIRL...

IN EGYPT.../

WHAT?

THERE ARE FORE-TELLINGS OF AN UPCOMING ECLIPSE IN BABYLON?

THAT MEANS CATAS-TROPHE IS ABOUT TO BE BESTO-WED UPON KING RAG-ASHU.

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THE KINGDOM OF BABYLON WILL ALSO FACE PUNISH-MENTS FROM THE GODS..

MY CAROL IS STAYING THERE... BUT YET, I HAVE NOT RECEIVED NEWS OF THIS...

. . . . .

GREAT AMEN, PLEASE PROTECT EGYPT!

LONG LIVE YOUR MAJESTY!

HURRAY!

HURRAY!

YES IT WAS CRAFTED FROM PURE GOLD!
THIS STATUE IS SO BEAUTIFUL!
GREETINGS, PRINCESS KAFURA OF LIBYA
I SEND MY GREETINGS TO YOU, OFFICIAL!
OH GOSH.. 2000 GOLDEN STATUES, HUH?
IN LIBYA, I HAVE A SMALL PALACE WITH NEARLY 2000 OF THESE GOLDEN STATUES!
YOU SEEM TO ADMIRE THIS PURE GOLD, YES?
..AND I'M AWAITING YOUR REQUEST!
I UNDERSTAND.
IF YOU ASSIST ME IN ONE MATTER..
I COULD ..MAYBE.. GIVE YOU HALF OF THEM..

I LOVE MENFUISU, THE PHAROAH OF EGYPT, AND I WANT TO BECOME HIS CONSORT. DO YOU THINK YOU CAN HELP ME WITH THIS MATTER?
I HAVE BEEN WISHING FOR THIS FOR SO LONG IN MY HEART, BUT I COULDN'T SAY IT OUT LOUD...
HE HE
I THOUGHT IT WAS SOMETHING ELSE. I ALREADY KNOW THIS...YOU DIDN'T EVEN NEED TO SAY IT ALOUD!
HE HE
I KNOW A WOMAN'S HEART. I JUST NEED TO LOOK AT THE WAY YOU LOOK AT MENFUISU AND I KNOW RIGHT AWAY THAT YOU LOVE HIM!
HOW DO YOU KNOW THIS?
HE HE

MY HEART RIGHT NOW IS LIKE A LIT FIRE BECAUSE OF CAROL ..I WANT TO DIVE HEAD-ON INTO BUSSINESS TO FORGET ABOUT THIS!

MINUE, I'M GOING TO INVESTIGATE THE IRRIGATIONS AT SINAI!

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WHY GO THAT FAR?

BUT YOU'RE HIGHNESS, I HEARD THAT AN ECLIPSE IS ABOUT TO OCCUR...

IT IS NOT WISE TO GO THAT FAR.

HOW IS AN ECLIPSE IN BABYLON GOING TO AFFECT ME?

ALSO, HOW COME CAROL HASN'T WRITTEN ME ABOUT IT?

YOUR MAJESTY, PLEASE CALM DOWN. THERE IS NO REASON TO GET THAT EXCITED... THERE MAY BE A MYSTERY TO CAROL'S EXTENDED STAY IN BABYLON. PLEASE DON'T WORRY...!

PLEASE REMAIN CALM, YOUR MAJESTY!

DON'T SAY ANYTHING ELSE, MINLE. FOLLOW ME TO INSPECT THE IRRIGATIONS AT SINAI TO SEE IF IT IS WORKING LIKE NORMAL!

THE PRIME MINISTER IS CORRECT!

I HAVE A BAD FEELING ABOUT THIS TRIP...

OH GOD! HIS MAJESTY IS GONE!

I PRAY THAT MINUE WILL PROTECT HIS MAJESTY!

OH...HE'S PROBABLY MISSING HIS WIFE FOR TOO LONG! HE'S PROBABLY WORRIED...

LADIES, HOW COME HIS HIGHNESS IS SO STUBBORN EVEN AT THIS TIME?

YES, THAT'S RIGHT! WE STILL DON'T KNOW WHETHER THE PERSON WHO FORTOLD THE ECLIPSE WAS CAROL OR NOT

I HEARD THAT AN ECLIPSE WILL SOON OCCUR IN BABYLON!

IMHOTEP, CAROL HAS BELITTLED ME....DON'T TELL YOU'RE GOING, TOO?

I IMPOSE ALL ADMINISTRATION MATTERS TO YOU, IMHOTEP!

AN ECLIPSE IS A BAD OMEN FOR RULERS!

PLEASE LISTEN TO ME, YOUR MAJESTY!

PLEASE LIMIT YOUR ACTIVITES FOR A FEW DAYS TO PREVENT CATASTROPHES FROM HAPPENING!

YOUR MAJESTY, PLEASE RETHINK THIS!

YES, YOUR MAJESTY!

HEAD STRAIGHT TO MOUNT SINAI!

YES, YOUR MAJESTY!

HE'S A LONG WAY OFF NOW!

IT IS ALL THE BETTER THEN! WE WILL HAVE MORE TIME TO COME UP WITH A PLAN!

MUCH LESS, H S HIGHNESS MENFUISU HAS ONLY ONE WIFE- CAROL. . .

I WILL USE MY AUTHOR TY AS AN OFFIC AL TO COARCE THE HIGHNESS...

HAVE YOU A PLAN YET?

I WILL PRESENT TH S MATTER TO THE COUNCIL... PLEASE DON'T WORRY, PRINCESS!

TO PROTECT EGYPT, PHAROAHS OFTEN MARRY PRINCESSES FROM OTHER NATIONS TO CREATE A BETTER RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE COUNTRIES... AN AVERAGE PHAROAH WIL HAVE 10 WIVES . . .

YOUR MAJESTY HAS IGNORED THAT PREDICTION!

ECLIPSES ARE A BAD OMEN FOR RULERS!

IT MAY BE TOO LATE TO REPENT

I AM VERY WORRIED!

THANK YOU, OFFICIAL...YOUR PLAN IS VERY GOOD!

I WILL SUITABLY REWARD YOU FOR THIS...

HITTITE EMPIRE

ASSYRIA

SYRIA

MODERN DAY IRAQ

MEDITTERANEAN

GREAT "BLUE" OCEAN

BABYLON

OPENING OF IRRIGATION CHANNELS IN SINAI

EGYPT

THE NILE RIVER

SINAI PENINSULA

ARABIAN DESERT

MODERN DAY SAUDI ARABIA

PERSIAN GULF

IN THE FUTURE, THE 'GREAT BLUE SEA', WILL BE RENAMED THE MEDTERRANEAN SEA?!

DO YOU KNOW THAT

LOOK, THERE IS THE GREAT BLUE SEA!

HOW COME YOU HAVEN'T SENT ME EVEN A MESSAGE?

CAROL, I MISS YOU SO MUCH!

IF I WERE TO TRAVEL THERE, I WOULD DISRUPT THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN EGYPT AND BABYLON

IT IS UNFORTUNATE THAT I DON'T HAVE AN EXCUSE TO HEAD TO BABYLON.

PLUS, I CAN'T LEAVE EGYPT FOR TOO LONG

HOW FRUST RATING!

CAROL I AM SO MAD AT YOU RIGHT NOW!

I ONLY RECEIVED THE LETTER THAT WAS SENT BY RAGASHU, TELLING ME THAT CAROL DOESN'T WANT TO HEAD BACK TO EGYPT YET BECAUSE SHE WANTED TO HELP ASISU WITH A NUMBER OF BUSINESSES.

WHAT IS GOING ON?

ASISU IS AN INTELLIGENT PERSON SHE CAN PERFORM THESE BUSINESSES BY HERSELF... WHY DOES SHE NEED CAROL?

PERHAPS CAROL THOUGHT OF THIS PLAN TO REMAIN IN BABYLON TO HAVE FUN.

THIS CLOUD COULD COVER US UNTIL DARK...

PERHAPS THE ECLIPSE COULD HAPPEN TONIGHT AFTER ALL?

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WHO TOLD YOU THAT, MENUI?

..BECAUSE A LARGE BLACK CLOUD IS APPROACHING US!

HOW FRUSTRATING!

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THERE WERE MANY MATTERS LEFT IN DISORDER HERE IN EGYPT WHICH NEEDED CAROL'S ADVICES. HOWEVER, SHE STILL DECIDED TO DISAPPEAR TO BABYLON!

FLY TO BABYLON AT THIS SECOND!

I SUPPOSE I COULD

ACCORDING TO STORIES, AN ECLIPSE IS THE SURE SIGN OF CATASTROPHE FOR RULERS...

I DON'T KNOW IF QUEEN CAROL IS ALRIGHT..

OH...IN THAT DIRECTION IS BABYLON, YOU'RE MAJESTY...

?

HOPEFULLY, THE ECLIPSE WILL NOT OCCUR TONIGHT!

IT IS GETTING DARK..PLEASE STOP AND REST HERE!

BECAUSE THE SKY IS VERY CLEAR, THERE IS NOT EVEN A TRACE OF A CLOUD!

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IT LOOKS LIKE MESU...

THE PERSON WHOM I'VE SENT TO INVESTIGATE THE SITUATION IN BABYLON!

SOMEONE IS THERE!

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WHO IS IT?

I WONDER HOW QUEEN ASISU AND QUEEN CAROL ARE DOING...

IT REALLY IS MESU!

YOU'RE MAJESTY!

THE KINGDOM IS BLANKETED WITH PUTRID AIR. THEY ARE AFRAID THAT AN ECLIPSE IS GOING TO OCCUR! AT THE TEMPLE, THE PRIESTS ARE ENDLESSLY PRAYING TO THEIR GOD. KING RAGASHU HAS EVACUATED TO THE TOWER OF BABEL. QUEEN ASISU, HOWEVER, HAS REMAINED IN THE PALACE...

TELL ME WHAT YOU HAVE FOUND OUT!

YOUR SERVANT REPORTS TO YOUR MAJESTY AFTER RETURNING FROM BABYLON!

YES!

HAVE YOU SEARCHED AT ASISU'S PALACE?

WHAT? YOU DIDN'T SEE HER?

I HAVE SEARCHED ALL OVER THE PLACE, BUT I HAVE NOT SEEN EVEN THE SLIGHTEST OF THE NILE GIRL ALONG WITH HER TWO BODY GUARDS..

WHAT ABOUT CAROL?

CAROL HASN'T WRITTEN ME A LETTER.. AND UNASU HAS DISAPPEARED WITHOUT A TRACE..

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT!

I COULDN'T SEE THE QUEEN BECAUSE SHE HAD TO WORRY ABOUT PREVENTINGTHE CATASTROPHE, AS ORDERED BY KING RAGASHU!

..WHETHER SOMETHING SUSPICIOUS IS AFOOT..

I AM STARTING TO WONDER..

AND THIS LETTER TO THE HEAD GENERAL

YES!

VERY WELL.. FOR NOW, HEAD BACK TO BABYLON AND GIVE THIS LETTER TO CAROL

YOUR MAJESTY, THE ESCORTS AND THE HEAD GENERAL WERE ALSO WORRIED BECAUSE THEY COULD NOT COMMUNICATE WITH QUEEN CAROL!

WHAT ABOUT THE ES-CORTS?

CAROL, WHERE ART THOU?

!

YOU'RE MAJESTY, THE SOUTHERN WINDS HAVE INCREASED...

UNBELIEVABLE! WHY ARE THE SOUTHERN WINDS ACTING UP AT THIS TIME OF THE YEAR?

MENFUISU IS CALLING ME...

YOUR MAJESTY, THERE IS A LARGE COMMOTION IN THE DIRECTION OF THE TEMPLE..IT LOOKS LIKE THEY'RE PERFORMING THE CEREMONY

OH, CAROL!

I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY ASISU HASN'T REACHED ME YET. THE EGYPTIAN ESCORTS, TOO.

AND HAS HASAN LEFT YET?

I HAVE TO HURRY OUT OF THIS PLACE

IT LOOKS LIKE AN ECLIPSE WILL OCCUR

HOW FORTUNATE! I HAVE ACQUIRED ALL OF THE MERCHANDISE THAT CAROL REQUESTED!

WHY DID HASAN OBTAIN THESE "DIRTY WATER"...?

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT!

SHE IS EXPECTING ME TO....

I HAVE TO RETURN TO BABYLON RIGHT AWAY!

GANZU, HURRY UP AND PERFORM THE CEREMONY!

QUEEN ASISU IS SO PRETTY! WHY HAVE I ONLY MET HER NOW?

HMM! HOW FRUSTRATING!

PLEASE SOFTEN THE PUNISHMENTS OF THE LUNAR GOD!

OH...LORD MANDOC...THE DIVINE RULER OF BOTH LAND AND HEAVEN...

IT FEELS LIKE I'M IN A PRISON!

THE GUARDS SENT TO PROTECT ME ARE TOO STRICT...!

YOUR MAJESTY WANTS TO SAY...

ARI, HAVE NOTICED SOMETHING STRANGE...?

WHY DOES RAGASHU WANT TO STAY IN THAT UNFISHED TOWER? WHY CAN'T HE STAY WITH ME WHILE THE ECLIPSE IS OCCURING?

YES...I ALSO THOUGHT THAT...

...A BLOND GIRL, EH?

THE PREDICTOR OF THE ECLIPSE WAS A BLOND GIRL...

RAGASHU SEEMED UPTIGHT WHEN I ASKED HIM ABOUT THAT...

OH NO! THAT LITTLE GIRL CAROL IS STILL ALIVE!!

...BUT THAT WAS A CHARRED CORPSE!

SURELY...

THAT'S RIGHT! I HAVE SEEN..

IT CAN'T BE! HASN'T YOUR MAJESTY SEEN CAROL'S CORPSE ALREADY?!

COULD RAGASHU PERHAPS HAVE INTENTIONALLY CHARRED THE CORPSE SO THAT I WOULDN'T RECOGNIZE THE DEAD CORPSE????

THAT'S RIGHT!

LONG LIVE THE KING!

OPEN THE DOOR TO THE SUB-LEVEL!

NOW THERE ARE NO MORE SUSPI-CIONS!

RAGASHU AND MY NEMESIS CAROL MUST BE INSIDE THE TOWER OF BABEL!!!

PREPARE THE CERE-MONY TO CLEANSE THE KING!

YOUR MAJESTY, RAGASHU HAS RETU-RNED!

YES, HE IS PREPARING FOR A CEREMONY TO CLEANSE HIS SOUL...

PLEASE CALM DOWN, YOUR MAJESTY...

...THEN THAT MEANS THAT KING RAG-ASHU HAS TRICKED YOU?

I ASK FOR PERMISSION, YOUR HIGHNESS...

YOUR HIGHNESS, PLEASE GIVE US PERMISSION TO START THE CEREMONY TO CLEANSE YOUR OFFENSES...THIS IS A MANDATORY CEREMONY EVER SINCE ANCIENT TIMES!

I UNDERSTAND... PROCEED!

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THEY'RE OPENING THE DOOR!

WHAT?

OUR KING HAS INVITED YOU TO THE CEREMONY.... PLEASE PREPARE AND FOLLOW ME!

GREETINGS, QUEEN CAROL... THE PERSON WHO FORETOLD THE ECLIPSE...!

I'M NOT GOING ANY-WHERE!

NO! I REF-USE!

WHY IS HE INVIT-ING ME?

THAT IS THE WISH OF MY KING!

HE IS IMPOSING HIS WISH ON ME NOW?

RAGASHU HAS IMPRISONED ME HERE AND PREVENTED ME FROM COMMUNICATING WITH EGYPT! HE WILL HAVE TO PAY FOR THIS..

I'LL YIELD TO HIS WISH IN A MILLION YEARS!

HMM! DO YOU WANT US TO USE FORCE?

UGH...VERY WELL! RELEASE THEM BOTH..

WHICH IS IT? CHOOSE NOW, MY DEAR...

I WILL GO!

YOUR HIGHNESS, SHE HAS ARRIVED!

I HEAR WATER FALL-ING....

THEN UNDER-NEATH IN THIS SUBTERRE-NEAN LEVEL, THERE IS A WATER WAY OUTSIDE!

WELCOME, GODDESS OF THE NILE!

YOU HAVE MADE ME WAIT FOR SO LONG!

REMOVE YOUR HEAD CLOTH!

YOU HAVE FORETOLD OF AN ECLIPSE, WHICH MAY OCCUR TONIGHT...

PLEASE STEP INTO THE POOL, YOUR HIGHNESS..

LET THE CLEANSING CEREMONY BEGIN!

LET GO OF ME... WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

OH, YOU! I'M NOT GOING TO DO ANYTHING...

BECAUSE OF THAT, I WILL NEED YOU BY MY SIDE!

WHAT DO YOU WANT FROM ME?

YOU ARE MY GUARDIAN TONIGHT....

GO INTO THE CLEANSING POOL WITH ME...

THAT IS THE ONLY WAY TO PREVENT MY BODY FROM DAMAGE DURING THE COURSE OF THE ECLIPSE

NO!

LET GO OF ME!!!

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PLEASE LET GO OF ME...

I AM NOT ACCUSTOMED TO TAKING A BATH WITH A STRANGER...

FURTHER-MORE, I WILL GET THE COLD!!!

PLEASE...!

HOW COME CATASTROPHE HAS NOT BEEN UPON THIS MAN?

LOOK THERE... THE OFFICIALS TELL ME THAT IF I STAY BY YOUR SIDE, I WILL BE SAVED FROM THE DEATH PENALTY!

I WISH THAT AN ECLIPSE REALLY OCCURS.....

THOSE ARE LIES...

THEY'RE MADE UP!

IF I DIE FROM THE COLD, YOU WILL HAVE TO SUFFER.. THE PEOPLE OF EGYPT WILL NOT FORGIVE YOU!

RAGASHU, DON'T FORGET THAT I AM THE QUEEN OF EGYPT, AND THE WIFE OF MENFUISU...

YOU ARE THE GODDESS OF THE NILE...

HOW CAN YOU POSSIBLY DIE ?!

HAHboo, DON'T INTI-MIDATE ME..

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RES S-TANCE IS FUT-ILE!

I'M NOT KIDDING...!

NO!

BE A GOOD GIRL AND LISTEN TO ME!

NOW...LET'S CLEAN OUR-SELVES!

HEY!

LET ME GO!

PREPARE THE FIRE-WOOD!

LIGHT A FEW MORE SO THAT CAROL WILL BE WARMER!

LORD MANDOC, PLEASE OVERSEE THIS CEREMONY FOR OUR KING, RAGASHU..

IN THIS WAY, I HOPE THAT THE LUNAR GOD'S IRE WILL BE SOOTHED SO THAT OUR KING'S LIFE MAY BE SPARED!

HEY!

AC!

AC!

ITS HARD TO BRE-ATH!

SHUT YOUR MOUTH! I AM QUEEN ASISU!

OH.... YOUR MAJ-ESTY!

KING AGASHU IS PERFORM.NG THE CLEANSING CEREMONY...

AND PR EST RIMSIM IS CONDUCTING THE CEREMONY!

NO ONE S ALLOWED TO STEP INS DE!

WHO IS IT?

STOP THERE!

YOU CAN'T ENTER!

HER MAJESTY, THE QUEEN, IS SEEKING PERMSSION ENTER TO SEE THE KING...

SHE CAN'T! THE KING IS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE CEREMONY...

NO ONE CAN ENTER!

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BUT, YOUR MAJESTY, WE HAVE RECEIVED ORDERS FROM THE KING NOT TO ALLOW ANYONE TO ENTER..!

BUT I AM HIS WIFE... I HAVE THE RIGHT TO!

ANYONE WHO STOPS ME WILL BE SORRY THEY EVER DID!

EMERGENCY! EMERGENCY!

YOUR HIGHNESS...

QUEEN AS SU HAS ARRIVED!

I'M ENTERING ANYWAYS ... IS THAT ALRIGHT?

WHO DARES TO OBJECT MY WISH?

?

THAT IS NOT POSSIBLE, YOUR MAJESTY ..

WHERE ARE YOU RAGASHU? . NEED TO SEE YOU RIGHT AWAY!

WHAT IS WITH ALL THE RUCKUS?

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...

?

OH GOD!

AM I DREA-MING?

HUH!!

OH NO! I'M DISCO-VERED!

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THE GIRL IN YOUR HIGHNESS' ARMS....

IS THAT REALLY CAROL?

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THEN SHE IS NOT DEAD YET...

SHE IS STILL ALIVE!

MY DEAR S STER, RAGASHU IS NOT A GOOD PERSON.. HE EVEN TR CKED YOU AND IMPRISONED ME IN THIS TOWER...

HE PLANS TO ANNEX EGYPT!

ASISU! PLEASE HELP ME!

HOW FOR TU- NATE!

ASISU....WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

PLEASE, RESCUE ME!

YOU HAVE TRICKED ME!

RAGASHU

...

I DID NOT EXPECT THIS. I TRUST IN PEOPLE TOO MUCH!

WHAT DID YOU PROMISE TO ME WHEN WE WERE STILL IN EGYPT?

CALM DOWN NOW, ASISU...

WE STILL HAVE THE SAME PRIMARY OBJECTIVES..

ASISU'S REACTION IS VERY STRANGE.. WHAT IS THE MATTER?

SHE JUST SPOKE OF A PROMISE TO RAGASHU WHEN SHE WAS STILL IN EGYPT

WHAT IS THE PROMISE, I WONDER? WHY IS RAGASHU LOOK UPTIGHT?

BECAUSE I REALY NEED THIS FORTUNE-TELLER...HER SPECIAL ABILITIES WILL HELP BABYLON BECOME A SUPERPOWER!

BUT I HAVE TO STRAY AWAY FROM THE PLAN!

WHEN WE WERE STILL IN THEBES, I PROMISED YOU THAT I WOULD KILL CAROL IN EXCHANGE FOR THIS MARRIAGE...!

I'M GETTING THE FEELING THAT THERE IS SOMETHING UNSETTLING ABOUT THIS MATTER.

IS IT POSSIBLE THAT ASISU HAS ALLIED WITH BABYLON?

IN REALITY, I HAD NO INTENTION OF LYING TO YOU..

LISTEN HERE, ASISU . . .

OH GOD.. THERE WAS SUCH A PLAN?

YOU'RE MAJ-ESTY!

PLEASE CALM DOWN!

ASISU...YOU HAVE BROUGHT ME TO THE ENEMY, AS WELL AS RAGASHU?

I HAD NO IDEA THAT YOU WOULD BE THIS CRUEL...!

YOU HAVE FOOLED EGYPT!

YOU HAVE FOOLED ME, ASISU!

I WAS ACTUALLY HAPPY FOR YOUR FUTURE, BUT....

GIRL WAS VERY INGENUOUS ALWAYS BELIEVING IN THE BEST OF PEOPLE.

PRINCE IZUMIRU HAD ALWAYS SAID THAT THIS

WHAT A DECEITFUL WOMAN!

TO ME, THAT IS THE WORST!

THERE IS NOT-HING ELS E TO SAY.!

YOU HAVE TRICKED ME AND WORKED ON YOUR OWN!

RAGASHU, I CANNOT ACCEPT YOUR WORDS...

PLEASE CALM DOWN, YOUR MAJESTY!

I CAN-NOT FOR-GIVE YOU, RAG-ASHU....

THE TOUNGE OF THIS BLADE WLL CLEANSE YOUR DIS-GRACE!

YOUR HIGH-NESS, WATCH OUT!!!!

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HA
HA
SILENCE!
...
ALERT!

FOR THE CRIME OF INJURING THE KING!
SEIZE HER!!!

SEIZE THE SERVANT ARI TOO!
SHE DOESN'T NEED TO BE KILLED NOW.... JUST IMPRISON HER INSIDE THE PALACE FOR NOW!!

WE CANNOT FORGIVE HER!

SHE DISRUPTED THE CEREMONY AND THEREFORE DISRESPECTED THE GODS!

THAT'S RIGHT!

WE MUST REMOVE HER HEAD TO BALANCE THE HARM!

YOUR HIGHNESS, WHAT ASISU HAS DONE IS UNSPEAKABLE! WE MUST DO SOMETHING!

REMOVE HER HEAD!

EXECUTE ASISU!

IF YOUR HIGHNESS DOES NOT EXECUTE ASISU, THE GODS WILL BE ANGERED... THEY WILL INFLICT PUNISHMENTS UPON BABYLON...

OH GOD...

WITH THIS KIND OF CHEERING FROM THE SOLDIERS, ASISU WILL ONLY MEET HARM!

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